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CUSTOMIZING DIGITAL IMAGE TRANSFER

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Sir:

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Please amend the above-referenced application, without prejudice,

as follows:

In the Specification:

Please delete the paragraph beginning on page 1, line 5. Please add the following new paragraph on page 1, line 5.

--Reference is made and priority claimed from U.S. Provisional Patent Application Serial No. 60/137,094, filed June 2, 1999 entitled "Method and Apparatus For Customized Automation of Digital Image Transfer" by Wasula et al. Reference is made to commonly-assigned PCT Patent Application No. PCT/US00/15422, filed June 2, 2000 entitled "Customizing Digital Image Transfer" by Wasula et al., and commonly-assigned U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/549,356 (Docket 79556), filed April 14, 2000, entitled "Method and Apparatus for Providing a User Customizable Digital Camera" to Prabhu et al., the disclosure of which is herein incorporated by reference.--

REMARKS

The specification has been revised to incorporate reference to the PCT patent application filed on June 2, 2000.

Attached hereto is a marked-up version of the changes made to the specification and claims by the current amendment. The attached page is captioned "Version with markings to Show Changes Made".

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<u>Version With Markings To Show Changes Made</u> In the Specification:

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